



PATENT APPLICATION

THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

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Ryoji NOYORI et al.

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For: PROCESS FOR PRODUCING OPTICALLY ACTIVE ALCOHOL

**SMALL ENTITY PETITION FOR 1st - 3rd EXTENSION
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